## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Medical and Health Services - Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer, Primary Health Centre, Balapal, Warangal District (now retired) - Certain allegation of Major financial irregularities - Disciplinary action - Imposition of punishment 5% cut in pension on Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, formerly Medical Officer, PHC, Balapal, Warangal District (now retired) for (5) years, besides recovering an amount of Rs.1,15,810/- from his pensionary benefits (i.e. gratuity) - Orders - Issued.

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HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.II.1) DEPARTMENT

<u>G.O.</u> Rt.N₀. 797 2009. <u>Dated 29-06-</u>

Read the following:

- 1) From the DH, Letter Rc.No.28724/VC.III.B/89, dated 16-06-2005.
- 2) Enquiry Officer's report dated 04-09-1990.
- 3) From the DH, AP, Hyd. Lr. Rc.No.28724/VC.III.B/89, dated 30-12-2005.
- 4) Govt. Memo. No.14520/VC.II.2/05-4, dated 4-2-2006.
- 5) Govt. Memo. No.14520/VC.II.2/05-5, dated 4-2-2006.
- 6) From the DH, AP, Hyd., Lr. Rc.No.28724/VC.III.B/89, Dated 2-01-2008.
- 7) From the Secretary, APPSC, Lr. No.772/RT.I/1/09, dated 23-06-2009.

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## ORDER:

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Director of Health, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad has stated that in the light of the Audit report by the Audit party for the year 1987-88, 1988-89, had issued a show cause notice to Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer and Sri Bikshapathi, Senior Assistant, Primary Health Centre, Balapal, Warangal at his level and in turn, they have submitted their explanation. Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer (Retired) filed an O.A. in the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, and as per the Tribunal interim orders, Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao was sanctioned provisional pension from 29-10-1999.

- 2. After examination of the explanation of Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer (Retired) to the show cause notice, the Director of Health had appointed the Enquiry Officer and the said Enquiry Officer has framed the charges against Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, retired Medical Officer and the Enquiry Officer has concluded in his enquiry that the charges were held proved for the various irregularities committed by the above individual at the Primary Health Centre, Balapal, Warangal District and he has responsible for the actual losses to the Government vide reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above.
- 3, In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Director of Health, AP, Hyderabad has stated that as per the Special Audit party report, an amount of Rs.1,15,810/- is to be recovered from Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer (Retired).

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- 4. Government after careful examination of the above report of Director of Health, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad decided to issue a show notice to Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer (Retired), vide reference  $4^{th}$  read above. Simultaneously necessary direction was issued to Director of Health, AP, Hyderabad for recovering an amount of Rs.1,15,810/- from the pensionary benefits of Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer (Retired), vide reference  $5^{th}$  read above.
- 5. In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, the Director of Health, has stated that as per the information of District Leprosy Officer, Khammam, the show cause notice was communicated (through professional courier service on 18-09-2006) to Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer. But the above individual has not submitted his explanation to the show cause notice as on date.
- 6. Government after careful examination of the report of the Director of Health, AP, Hyderabad and Oalso by taking into consideration of the circumstances, and it is observed that having received the show cause notice on 18-09-2006 the individual wantonly not given any explanation to the show cause notice. Therefore, Government have arrived at a provisional decision of imposing the punishment of 5% cut in pension on Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, formerly Medical Officer, Primary Health Centre, Balapal, Warangal District now retired, besides recovering an amount of Rs.1,15,810/- from his pensionary benefits (i.e. gratuity) as advised by the Finance (Pension.I) Department.
- 7. The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission when consulted has advised to imposed punishment of 5% cut in pension for (5) years, besides recovery of above said amount from his pensionery benefits (i.e. gratuity), vide reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above.
- 8. Government therefore hereby impose a punishment of 5% cut in pension for (5) years, on Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, formerly Medical Officer, Primary Health Centre, Balapal, Warangal District now retired, besides recovering an amount of Rs.1,15,810/- from his pensionary benefits (i.e. gratuity).
- 9. The Director of Health, A.P. Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. VIJAY KUMAR

EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Dr. M.Ganapathi Rao, Medical Officer, PHC, Balapal, Warangal District (now retired) through the Director of Health, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Director of Health, A.P. Hyderabad.

## Copy to:

The District Treasury Officer, Warangal,
The Accountant General ,A.P. Hyderabad.
The Secretary , A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad. **Sf/Sc**.

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SECTION OFFICER